

eth & defendeth the force & injury when &c and prayeth liberty to  
imparle hereunto untill next Provintiall Court & itt is granted unto  
him, the same day is giuen to the p<sup>th</sup> also Liber W. C.

Now here att this day to witt the Sixteenth day of ffebruary in  
the fifth yeare of the Dominion of the right Hon<sup>ble</sup> Charles Lord  
Baltemore &c Annoq̃ Doni 1679 came the said parties by their At-  
torneys aforesaid And the said Robert by his said Attorney saith,  
that he the said Edward his action aforesaid against him the said  
Robert ought not to haue because he saith, that he the said Robert  
the said Sumē of nine thousand Eight hundred Seaventy two pounds  
of tobacco nor any part thereof unto the said Edward to pay when  
thereunto required did not assume upon himselfe & to the said Ed-  
ward faithfully promise in manner & forme as in the said declara-  
tion is suggested, which the said Robert is ready to averr And of this  
he putts himselfe upon the Countrey, & the p<sup>th</sup> also Therefore itt is  
comāded the Sheriffe of St Maryes County that he cause to come  
here twelve &c by whom &c And who neither &c to Recognize &c  
because as well &c on which said sixteenth day of ffebruary in the  
yeare aforesaid came the said parties by their Attorneys aforesaid  
And the jurors impannelled being called likewise came to witt Robert  
Ellys, W<sup>m</sup> Thomas, Henry Exon, James Veitch, Tho: Beale, Tho:  
Hussy, W<sup>m</sup> Bawdon, Tho: Alcock, Bernard Johnson, Tho: Allān-  
son, Edward Sise & Daniel Clocker who being Elected tryed & sworne  
to say the truth in the p<sup>r</sup>misses Upon their Oaths doe say, that the p. 81  
said Robert Murphy did assume & promise in manner & forme as  
the said Edward Leach hath alleadged And they assesse the dañage  
of the said Edward to nine thousand eight hundred Seventy & two  
pounds of tobacco. Therefore itt is considered that the said Edward  
Leach recover against the said Robert Murphy the aforesaid Sumē  
of nine thousand Eight hundred seventy two pounds of tobacco  
damāges by the jurors aforesaid in form aforesaid assessed As  
also One thousand eight hundred & Eight pounds of tobacco costs of  
suite And the Defend<sup>t</sup> in mercy &c

Vincent Lowe Esq <sup>r</sup>	}	The jury finding for the p <sup>th</sup> in this cause, the Sumē of three thousand Eight hundred pounds of tobacco dañages with costs of suite, the Defend <sup>t</sup> by Robert Ridgely his Attorney moved in Arrest of judgem <sup>t</sup> whereupon day is given to both parties untill next Provintiall Court
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